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ODD FELLOWS HOLD OUTING

Monongahela Valley Lodgemen at Cascade Park

MANY ATHLETIC EVENTS

Monessen and Monongahela Teams Capture Most of Prizes

Happy excursionists to the number of about 1,000 from towns between Brownsville and Monongahela, inclusive, enjoyed the annual outing at Cascade Park, near New Castle, given by the Monongahela Valley Picnic Association of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Friday. With good weather as an accessory in carrying out the well laid plans, the affair was made a memorable occasion.

A special train carried the picnicers from the valley to New Castle. After the picnic lunch was disposed of a program of sports, consisting of various races, a tug of war and other athletic evants began. Monongahela and Monessen Odd Fellows captured most of the prizes in these events, and Charleroi was a close second in many of them. There were 17 events. The ball game between New Castle and Akron attracted the attention of a number of the picnicers.

Leaving the park at 6:30 o'clock the excursionists arrived home some time after 10 o'clock by special train.

MUST BLOW HORNS AT THE CORNERS

In order to prevent accidents arising from the alleged disregard of sensible methods of driving automobiles, Burgess George W. Risbeck has issued a notice to the effect that certain borough ordinances requiring the turning of corners at slow speed and blowing the horns at corners, must be obeyed. In addition he makes a suggestion that the practice of some drivers of machines running on the left side of the street be discontinued, owing to the possibility of collision and serious accident arising therefrom.

Burgess Risbeck and the members of the police force call atention to the fact that a number of machine owners are in the practice of leaving their machines stand on the street for indefinite periods or all night. This is contrary to ordinance and must be stopped.

FIVE GOOD GAMES ARE SCHEDULED

With five games next week, the Church League promises to develop some startling changes in the standing of clubs. Monday night will be "Booster's Day" and the Methodists and Catholics will play. The Washington Avenues and the Lutherans will play two games. The schedule for the week is: Monday—Catholics vs Methodist; Tuesday—Baptists vs First Presbyterians; Wednesday—W. A. Presbyterians vs Lutherans; Thursday— W. A. Pres vs Lutherans; Friday—Episcopals vs Christians

DONORA PEOPLE PETITION FOR FREE DELIVERY

Representative Matthews Takes Up Matter With Postoffice Department

Representative Charles Mahttews of this Congresional district has taken up the matter with the Postoffice Department of the petition of Donora citizens that the town be given free mail delivery. The petition states that for five or six years Donora has had sufficient population to justify a free delivery service. During the past year walks and streets have been undergoing repairs preparatory to filing the petition. An inspection will be sent to the town to invesigate conditions and make a report, atfer which action will be taken.

AUDIT BY NEW CODE

Work May be Started But Not Finished Now

SOME OF ITS CONDITIONS

The audits of the school accounts of the various districts of Washington county made in may cases on Monclosed their accounts Monday the reports cannot be forwarded to the counnot be completed until after the first Monday of July, according to the new school code.

While many of the school boards slosed their acounts Monday the reports canot be forwarded to the county superintendent until after the first Monday in July, which marks the close of the fiscal year instead of June 1 as formerly. The report that is filed with the county superintendent must contain the report of June and up till the first Monday of July and therefore the county superintendent has warned the secretaries of the boards not to send in their reports until after July 3.

The new school code says specifically that the financial report submitted for the last school year must show the audit of all school accounts up until the first Monday of July.

In Washington county there are six third class districts and the balance of the districts are fourth class. The Canonsburg, Monongahela, Charleroi, Donora and Carroll township. All others are in the fourth class. The new code says that the auditing board in the third class districts shall be composed of two memebers of the board appointed by the court of common pleas. In reference to the fourth clas districts, the code sets forth that the finances shall be audited by the proper borough or township auditors and that said auditing board shall make this audit the first Monday of July or within five days thereafter.

Tuesday, June 20 at The Star.

The Great Boer War in moving pictures and illustrated lecture. This should be seen by everyone as it is of historical value. 5 cents 264t5

J. M. Fleming's garden hose is guaranteed for two years. 254tf

FELL FROM A LADDER

L. McClure Dies From Injuries Received This Week

WAS WELL KNOWN MAN

Came to Charleroi When Town Was In Its Infancy --Helped Found Church

From injuries received Thursday morning in a fall from a ladder, Leander McClure, aged 61, and a pioneer of Charleroi, died at 11:30 o'clock Friday night at his home at 311 Washington avenue. Renal hemorhages were the immediate cause of death.

Mr. McClure was engaged in painting the house of U. S. Orange, on Third street Thursday morning, and was at the top of the ladder when he lost his balance and fell. In falling he struck the banister railing and sustained internal abdominal injuries. Taken home he seemed to be getting better and last evening showed signs of improvement. He expired very quickly.

One son, Frank, and one daughter Miss Linnie, both at home, survive, together with his widow. There are three brothers, James A. McClure, of Sharon, Robert M. McClure, of Wilkinsburg, and Samuel McClure, of Buena Vista.

Mr. McClure came to Charleroi 20 years ago, when the town was just starting. He became a contract teamster. Retiring from this work he became a painter. Mr. McClure has been a life-long member of the Baptist church, uniting with that nomination at Elizabeth in his boyhood. He was one of the founders and a charter member of the First Baptist church, of Charleroi.

ROBERT ELLISON, DIES FROM CANCER

Well Known Man Expires at Home of His Brother on Fallowfield Avenue

Robert K. Ellison, 51 years, seven months and four days old, and a pioneer citizen of Charleroi, died Friday afternoon at 2:10 o'clock, at the home of his brother, Harry F. Ellison, of 114 Fallowfield avenue, from cancer of the stomach, from which he had been suffering for some time. The funeral will be held at 8 o'clock Monday morning, with requiem high mass at St. Jerome's Catholic church. On the 9:16 train the body will be taken to Pittsburg for interment in the Calvary cemetery there.

Mr. Ellison had been in poor health for some time, but was seriously ill since about Christmas. He was one of the original Hussy-Binns Shovel workers, coming to Charleroi about 20 years ago when the plant was being started. He was employed at this plant for more than 15 years, and then secured employment at the Pittsburg Steel mill, Monessen. Some time ago, he went to Cambridge Springs, but his health was unimproved.

Four brothers survive, Harry and Charles Ellison of Charleroi, and Samuel and James Ellison of Baltimore, Md. The deceased was a member of Charleroi Aerie No390, Fraternal Order of Eagles and of Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians.

FUNERAL OF JOHN SHANTON IS HELD

The funeral of John Shanton, the well known Monongahela valley resident who died this week in Oklahoma City, Okla., was held Friday afternoon at the Christian church, with Rev. S. A. Cleavenger of Grafton, W. Va., in charge of the services. Interment was in Frye's cemetery. A large number of friends from Charleroi and vicinity paid their respects to the deceased. The pall bearers were T. P. Grant, Fred S. Cooper, T. R. Eagye, and Joseph Hepler.

CONTROLLER IS IGNORED

County Commissioners Sell Bonds Regardless of Moffitt

GIVES OUT A STATEMENT

County Controller Has Say in Regard to the Matter

Determined, evidently, to ignore the county controller, the county commissioners on Friday without the former's co-operation, as the law requires awarded to J. S. & W. S. Kuhn and E. H. Rollins & Sons, jointly, five hundred thousand dollars of road imprivement bonds, at a bid of par and accrued interest with a premium of $5,700 Bonds are to bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent per annum, and are subject to the state tax of four mills. The first $350,000 of the issue is to be delivered as the commissioners need the money for the work in hand. The remaining $150,000 to be delivered December 15.

Concerning the peculiar actions of the commissioners in ignoring him in the whole transaction, Mr. Moffitt said:

"By their own statement the commisioners have made it plain that they are ignoring the office of the county controller, but I am still here and I propose to safeguard the interests of the taxpayers and compel regularity and an obedience to the law in all the transactions in the office of the county commissioners and in every other office which comes under the control's supervision."

BOOSTER DAY IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Tags are being sold by managers and players in the Charleroi Baseball league for "Booster Day" to be celebrated by the Charleroi Church Baseball league on Monday evening. At that time theCatholics and Methodists are scheduled to play.

The object of "Booster's Day" will be to recoup the Church league treasury. Heavy expenses have made a big hole in the treasury and something is necessary to lift the burden. Purchasers of tags have to pay 25 cents. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged to ladies at the ball park.

CHILDREN'S DAY IS BIG SUCCESS

What was undoubtedly the most successful Children's Day ever held by the Charleroi Circle No.303, P.H. C. was held Friday night. It was the sixth annual affair of the kind. In the program which was given under the direction of Frank B. Taylor, 50 children participated. Songs, recitations, readings and various numbers of a literary or musical nature furnished entertainment in abundance for the 300 or so persons who attended.

The hall was beautifully decorated With palms and bunting of national colors forming the back ground, a profusion of flowers was artistically arranged. An arch formed of roses and other flowers was arranged over the speakers.

Following the rendition of the program refreshments were served. Simcox's orchestra furnished special music, and dancing completed the

Adult Classes Will Discuss Convention

For the purpose of making arrangements for attending the annual county Sunday school convention at Canonsburg, next week, as well as to consider other important business, a meeting of the Adult Federated Classes will be held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon. Members of the Adult classes are planning to attend the Adult Day celebration on Friday of the convention in a body and participate in the parade. A special car may be secured to take the party to Canonsburg and bring them back.

NOT PERMITTED TO WASH RIGS ON THE STREET

Burgess Risbeck Notifies Liveryman and Others He Will Enforce Law

Owing to complaints of annoyance arising, it is claimed, from teamsters liverymen and owners of horses, washing their rigs on the street Burgess George W. Risbeck has found it necessary to make a ruling that on and after July 1, such work must be done elsewhere than on the street. Also liverymen must cease hitching and unhitching their rigs outside of their barns.

Burgess Risbeck is only following out a borough ordinance in making his ruling. Complaints have come from certain quarters of the practice of washing rigs and horses on the streets, and it was considered necessary for the best interests of all concerned to heed them.

PREPARING FOR FOURTH

Monessen People Plan Celebration on an Elaborate Scale

THE PAGEANT OF NATIONS

Last year Monessen celebrated the Fourth of July by a parade of all the nationalities of peoples represented within her boundaries. This parade was one of the most unique features ever pulled off in the valley, as the various nationalities paraded in native costumes in many cases being accompanied by bands playing fatherland tunes.

The big steel town is planning to repeat last year's progrom on a larger scale this Fourth of July. The foreign nationalities are responding readily, as they now understand the nature of the exhibition and clever features are being secretly planned by a number of different organizations.

Special arragements nave been made for a fireworks exhibition. It is planned to have the exhibition in charge of an expert who will touch off the display from the hills across the river from Monessen. This will allow a good view of the fireworks from all parts of the town and eliminate the danger of fire.

An excellent program of sports is being arranged and medals will be given to the winners of the amateur events.

POTREBUYUME.

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The Waldorf Cafe.

Under new management will serve a special bill of fare on Sunday, June 18, chicken and waffle included. The bill of fare will be under the management of George King, the noted cook from Buffalo, New York. 266t1p

Lawrence paint is made to stand the weather. J .H.Bowers. 265t1

READY FOR NEW BANK

Monessen to Have Postal Savings Depository

EFFECTIVE ON JUNE 27

Rules Are Announced--Deposits Must Not Exceed $100 Per Week

The order creating a postal savings bank in Monessen will become effective on June 27, at which time Postmaster E. M. Frye will be prepared to receive deposits. Under instructions from the postmaser general Postmaster Frye will go to Dubois June 19 and stay until the 20th to familiarize himself with the workings of a postal savings bank, Dubois having been in operation for some time.

The local postal banking business will be conducted through the money order and registry departments, there being no other space at the postoffice available for the purpose. It is probable that the money order clerk will be in charge.

While there wil be much extra work thrown on the employes it will not be like in a bank which does a checking business. There is none of this in the government banks. Accounts are deposited for the sole purpose of drawing interest and if withdrawn within a year the depositor receives no interest.

The original deposit must be made in person; subsequent ones by mail. The minimum deposit received is $1, but stamps may be purchased at 10 cents each and affixed to a card and when the total reaches a dollar, a certificate will be issued, the same when a dollar deposit is made. Deposits may be made in the sums of $1, $2, $5, $20, $50, $100 and up to $500 which is the maximum deposit allowed exclusive of accumulated interest.

Deposits may not exceed $100 in any one week. The accounts draw two per cent interest. They may be exchanged for government bonds bearing two and one-half per cent.

Any person ten years or over may open an account. Accounts of married women are not subject to interference by their husbands. Individuals only may open accounts. Corporations, firms, partnerships, etc., are barred. All that is necessary is to make application to the postmaster who will issue a certificate for the amount of the deposit. Deposits may be withdrawn at any time.

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June 17 in American History.

1775—Battle of Bunker Hill.

1877—Robert Dale Owen, statesman and author, died; born 1800.

1889—John Gibbs Gilbert, noted actor, died; born 1810.

1905—General Maximo Gomez, Cuban revolutionary leader, died; born 1831.

1910—Walter R. Brookins ascended 4,890 feet in an aeroplane, then a world's altitude record.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:24; moon rises 11:43 p. m.; noon today, sun directly south; as only on April 15, Aug. 31, Dec. 24.

NURSE YOUR JOB.

Every man, women or child who is obliged to work for wages and hold a position had better consider the opportunity at its proper valuation. Ordinarily work is not to be desired for work's sake, as in an economic sense labor is an end instead of means; but at this particular stage indications point to a check in production all along the line of industry, and that means a curtailment of labor. During the next few months it is probable that there will be many lay-offs and suspensions in business and industrial circles, and that opportunities for new positions will be scarce. It therefore behooves the man with a job to value it as an end for the time being at least. Jobs are likely to be scarce for some time to come.

Many strikes and labor troubles have occurred over the discharge and suspension of employes in slack times. Employers inevitably let go the least efficient under such circumstances, while many organizations insist that such reduction should be made according to seniority; that is, those who had been longest in the employe of a company should be retained in preference to a new man who has been with the company a shorter period. This question has been threshed out over and over again, with no nearer solution than at first. It probably never will be settled to the satisfaction of all concerned, but the thing for each worker to do is to endeavor to qualify personally for his job to the extent that his services are of profit to the concern he serves, and a valuable asset to be considered. In other words the man who nurses his job is the one who retains it the longest in times of depression.

HERE ARE THE FACTS.

Because it expressed some surprise that the county commissioners should seek to protect and favor a criminal who is now serving a jail sentence, the Washington Record states that the Mail has a jaudiced view of the situation. It also accuses the Mail of ignorance in the case and asks for the facts because this paper stated that the fine imposed by the court and not collected by the commissioners according to their sworn duty, was being held up to permit an appeal to the State Board of Pardons. The Record says that "the Mail should know that the application was made long ago," and that a decision is now pending.

The question of whether an application for a pardon has been or is to be made in the case has no bearing on the duty of the county commissioners. The culprit was adjudged guilty in the county court of selling intoxicating liquor illegally, and the testimony showed that he was a flagrant offender. The court imposed a jail sentence and a fine of one thousand dollars and costs. The severity of the fine indicates that in the eyes of the court there were no extenuating circumstances in the case. Having means and influence the case was appealed by the defendant to the Superior Court which sustained the decision of the lower court. This in turn was appealed to the Supreme Court, which also sustained the original verdict. As a last resort application was made to the Board of Pardons in the hope that the fine might be mitigated and the costs thrown on the county, as the defendant was obliged to begin serving his jail sentence as soon as the Supreme Court decision was handed down. The commissioners however have refrained from collecting the fine and costs in order to give the culprit the last possible chance to evade the payment.

The culprit was clearly guilty, and the court has issued a mandamus to compel the commisioners to collect the fine and costs. For the commissioners to evade their duty in making this collection as soon as the Supreme Court decision was announced, is most extraordinary. The commissioners were not elected by the people for the purpose of helping a convicted criminal to evade the payment of a fine and to throw the costs of an expensive case on the county. If the convicted one can find a loop hole in the law through some technicality to enable him to escape the penalty of his transgresions, that is his business. It is the duty of the commissioners to look after the interests of the county.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The trouble with a sham battle is that sometimes some fellows forget and point their guns at those nearby.

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Agricultural pursuits still lead in Greene county. That being the case we may expect to be greeted by the same throng of happy agriculturalists, usually called farmers in Greene.

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Next week college commencement season will be continued and in most cases--thank heaven--concluded.

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It is a good thing to respect chickens--especially when the chickens belong to the other fellow.

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The best laid plans "gang aft aglee" Even the county commisioners are refused the comfort of being able to pull the wool over the eyes of the people.

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Society banquets are sometimes featured by the presence of a flowing bowl, the flowing of which containeth spikes.

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August is the month of reunions the same as June is the month of commencements and weddings.

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"Troublesome inquiries" sometimes happen to bring about the desired trust-busting results.

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"Uncle Joe" Cannon has the reputation of being a noted man, but he never attained the notoriety one Teddy did with trust-busting.

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Some speeches would sound more intelligible and more intellectual if delivered in the Chinese language.

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"Billy" Sunday told Erie what he was going to do. Now he is doing it.

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Independence is something most fellows like to pretend they have when they haven't.

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Carrie Nation left an estate of about $10,000, which is about $9,999.99 more than many persons had who snickered at her.

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It wouldn't seem surprising if President Taft took on a little superior air since he shook hands with Honus Wagner and Ty Cobb.

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A Texas town has become noted as being a flyless city. Still a fly town can sometimes be flyless.

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Coal developments in a comparatively slow time, make mighty interesting reading.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"I saw my first ball game at Forbes Field in Pittsburg yesterday," said a Charleroi resident, "and I must say it was a disappointment. There's too much grand stand and not enough personality in the game for the spectator. Not being in the millionaire class I bought a 75-cent ticket, and got a seat directly behind the catcher, on the seventh row from the front of the stand, which was the front row of that schedule. This, however, was fully as far from the catcher's box as from Fifth to Sixth street, on McKean avenue, and the only way to distinguish the players was by the uniforms they wore. The Pirates were clad in white while the Bostons wore blue. You couldn't see a man's face or hear a word that was said. The only player I could distinguish on the field was the stocky form of Honus Wagner. The play was all automatic, and as the day was cloudy the ball could not be followed with the eye on ground hits. You might just as well have watched a moving picture exhibition.

"Owing to the immense size of the grand stand the ground really looks smaller than the Charleroi field. If one sat in the rear of the grand stand it would be equivalent to watching a game across the river from Charleroi. I wonder that some one has not been killed there, as every foul fly that eludes the catcher's territory drops in the grand stand among the spectators At least a dozen foul flies dropped there during the game I witnessed, and the only reason no one was hit was because the crowd was so slim that the ball struck the seats with a crash that in some cases meant repairs. The man who sits in the grand stand at Forbes Field had better wear a high crowned derby hat as a protector. Otherwise he runs the risk of getting his 'cocoa' caved in.

As for attendance, it is no better proportionately except on gala occasions, than at the Church Leagues games in Charleroi. The grand stand at Forbes Field at the game I witnessed looked like a church congregation in dog days. There only appeared to be a few hundred, scattered about the immense grand stand with tiers and tiers of vacant seats. The papers stated the attendance was 2,352, but the bulk of these were in the 25 and 50 cent bleachers. I like to see a profesional game, all right, but I want to see the faces of the players, to hear their voices—in other words to realize the personality there is in the game. To me there is little satisfaction in looking at the game through a knot hole at the back fence, and a seat in the grand stand at Forbes Field is no better than that.

Robespierre's Style of Dress.

Robespierre's manner of dress, even at the period when the demagogues affected the slovenliness and disorder of indigence in order to flatter the people, was clean, decent and precise as that of a man who respects himself in the eyes of others. His white powdered hair, turned up in clusters over his temples; a bright blue coat buttoned over his hips, open over the breast to display a white vest; short yellow colored breeches, white stockings and shoes with silver buckles, formed his invariable costume during the whole of his public life. It was said that he desired by thus never varying the style or color of his garments to make the same impression in the sight and imagination of the people as a medal of his face would have caused.—Lamartine's "History of the Girondists."

The History of Interest.

By "usury" the ancient teachers meant any interest that was exacted by the lender of money from the borrower solely as the price of the loan. Those who lent money at 8 per cent, or even 1 per cent, were committing usury quite as really as those who lent it at 40 per cent. The old time prejudice against interest was based on the theory, at one time quite universal, that "money is sterile by nature" and that, therefore, to exact profit from it is both absurd and unjust. For centuries pretty nearly all the authorities in church and state were committed to such idea, and it was not until quite recent times that the old error was exploded.—New York American.

A LEGAL DILEMMA

Tangle of Red Tape in an English Extradition Case.

GETTING AROUND THE LAW.

Only the Quick Wit of the Canadian Police Inspector Kept a Notorious Criminal in Custody When in Reality He Was as Free as the Air.

The manner in which a prisoner extradited to England from a foreign country is treated while on the voyage home depends very much on the detective who has him in charge and also on whether or no there is any suspicion that he may be contemplating violence either to himself or to others.

For instance, in the case of Jabez Balfour, who was taken to England all the way from Buenos Aires, there was a strong suspicion—probably ill founded—that he contemplated committing suicide. Consequently Inspector Froest, who had him in charge, decided to take no risks that he could possibly avoid.

The regulations do not permit of an unconvicted prisoner being handcuffed on board ship once the vessel has left port, and he must be allowed one hour's exercise on deck each day. These indulgences, if indulgences they may be called, were therefore not withheld from Balfour.

But he got few others. For twenty-three hours out of every twenty-four he was immured in a locked cabin. He was not permitted even to enter the public dining room, his meals being brought to him by Mr. Froest himself after the rest of the passengers had fed. He was, besides, constantly watched and was subjected to a most rigorous search immediately on coming aboard.

His only relaxation was an occasional game of chess with some of the passengers who kindly came to his cabin to play with him by permission and in the presence of his keeper. This sea imprisonment lasted exactly one month and a day, and Balfour afterward declared that it was the most trying experience of a captivity that was destined to continue for nearly twelve years.

One of the longest and in its later stages one of the pleasantest voyages ever undertaken by an unconvicted criminal was that which Charles Hylton Davidson, the notorious forger, made some years back in the custody of Chief Inspector Murray of the Canadian department of justice.

Murray tracked the wanted man to Mexico and secured his extradition to Canada. But then his difficulties began. He could not bring his prisoner to Canada by the direct route through the United States, for immediately Davidson set foot in that country he could have demanded to be released. There was therefore nothing for it but to convey him by way of Jamaica and England and thence back across the Atlantic to Quebec.

On the voyage Murray kept Davidson under close observation, although allowing him considerably more freedom than Froest allowed Balfour. When, however, he had got safely as far as London he was both mortified and astonished at the likelihood of his having had all his trouble for nothing

The law was, he was told, that a prisoner extradited from a foreign country to a British colony could not be kept in custody in England for longer than twenty-four hours, nor could he be taken as a prisoner on board a British ship sailing from a British port.

Here was a dilemma. Davidson was free as air—had he only known it. But Murray was equal to the occasion "Look here, Davidson," he said, "I've got you safe. There is only the last stage of the journey to complete. If I allow you to travel saloon with me as an ordinary first class passenger will you give me your word to play me no tricks?"

To this proposition Davidson, knowing nothing of the real state of affairs, was naturally quite ready to agree. And so it came to pass that one of the most notorious criminals Canada has ever known came home in state; free, yet not free, a voluntary prisoner, and yet an involuntary one.—Pearson's Weekly.

Tactful Truth.

"I appeal to Mr. Verity, whose truthfulness nobody doubts," said the outraged hostess, with a glitter in her eye. "Mr. Verity, do you think I supply my boarders with bad butter?"

The others looked eager attention to see how Mr. Verity would get out of it.

"Madam," he answered, with a bow, "the truth on which you compliment me forces me to declare that your butter is one of your strong points."—Baltimore American.

Bites.

The safest way to measure your maximum bite longitudinally is to lay it out on an ear of corn. To get the depth of the bite, measure it in a slice of watermelon.—Boston Globe.

And the best way to determine the capacity of your bite is to watch you eat beans.—Cleveland Plain Dealer

Serious.

Mother—Oh, Effie! What has happened to your dolly? Effie—The doctor says it's a nervous breakdown. He prescribed mucilage.—Life.

Sorrow is a school of virtue. It corrects levity and interrupts the confidence of sinning.—Atterbury.

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The Shapes of Eggs.

There was recently had before the Zoological society of London a mathematical discussion of the differences in the shape of eggs. A few eggs, like those of the owl and the tortoise, are spherical, or nearly so; a few, like the grebe's or the cormorant's, are elliptical, with symmetrical ends; the great majority, like the hen's, are ovoid, or blunter at one end than the other. The hen's egg is always laid blunt end foremost. Eggs that are the most unsymmetrical are also eggs of large size relatively to the parent bird. The yolks of eggs are spherical, whatever the form of the entire egg may be. This has been shown to be due to their being inclosed in a fluid, the "white," which makes the pressure everywhere on the surface of the yolk practically constant.—Scientific American.

Obeyed Directions.

One of the small theaters in Pittsburg at which moving pictures and vaudeville sketches alternate recently changed a sign which read: "Ladies that remove their hats will find mirrors and all conveniences on the room to the left as they pass out. Thank you for removing them." Some of their patrons acted too literally on the sign. Just before it was changed one of the employees saw a woman of rustic appearance and a happy expression leaving with several combs, a brush and two small hand mirrors.

"Say, what do you think you're doin' with those things?" he demanded.

She was taking them home, she informed him.

"Naw, yer not," said the man; "we don't put them things in there for you to take away."

"Well, of all things," exclaimed the indignant dame, "an' didn't I read with my own eyes that you would thank ladies to remove them. And ain't I a lady?"

Then the sign was changed.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

Unconscious Humor.

In Munro's "Homeric Grammar" the author gives a curious turn to his explanation of the Greek word "louomai," which he interprets as "I wash myself, but this is comparatively rare!" Again, Liddell and Scott in their "Standard Lexicon" give the meaning of "gnodalon" as "any wild, dangerous animal, from a lion to a worm!"

In Nagler's "Kunstler Lexikon," a book of reference for a connoisseur of prints, we find: "Pure, Simon. The correct name of the English caricaturist known as George Cruikshank." Evidently some one had told the compiler that of the three of that name George was the real "simon pure."

Lived Up to Her Name.

Apropos of the eternal domestic question, an Englishwoman relates this experience: "I engaged a maid named Pearl, and as I simply couldn't ask a Pearl to fill the coal scuttle or to holystone to the doorstep I said: 'I would rather call you by some other name. Have you a second one?' 'Yes,' replied the damsel brightly, 'my second name is Opal.' So I stuck to Pearl. At one time I all but engaged a maid named Hermione, but upon asking her, 'Have you a black dress, white caps and aprons?' she replied acidly: 'Yes, I have, but I'm not going to wear 'em Ma didn't christen me 'Ermione for to wear a livery.'"

A Strange Likeness.

An extraordinary resemblance has recently been discovered at the London Natural History Museum between a specimen of the huge African elephant and the pygmy shrew mouse. Sir E. Ray Lankester suggested comparison of the two, and the result has been that practically every bone, muscle, blood vessel and nerve of the giant beast has been found identically reproduced in the little animal, which is scarcely two inches in length In the museum a stuffed mouse has been placed between the fore feet of its enormous mounted prototype for the purpose of showing the curious likeness.

Plenty in Reserve.

A man who had been fighting got two black eyes. Next morning he met a friend, who exclaimed:

"Why, Jack, where have you been? You've got two black eyes!"

"That's nothing," he replied. "I could have got plenty more, only I had no place to put them."

Pleasant.

Strange Guest I don't know half the people in the room Just look at that woman over there the cross eyed, red headed one And some one told me she was married. Don't you think the fellow was a fool? Other Guest (meekly)—I know he was. I'm him.—Baltimore American.

Talked Too Much.

Wife (reproachfully) You forget how you once breathed your love in my ear and promised that my every wish should be gratified. Hub—No, I don't, but I wish now I'd followed the hygienic rule of keeping my mouth shut while breathing.—Boston Transcript.

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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

Striking photoplays at the Palace Theatre this week were "The Writing on the Blotter," "Mistrust," and "Enoch Arden." The first was the story of a young man falsely sent to jail through the thieving schemes of a manager. The former's wife turns private detective and secures evidence which clears her husband. "Mistrust" was the story of a hunter who arrested for trespass, writes an anonymous letter to the gamekeeper comprising the latter's wife The gamekeeper goes to his home and hearing voices inside, fires a shot through the door, only to discover that his children alone were inside: He sees the true state of affairs, and effects a reconciliation with his wife. The old story of "Enoch Arden" is told a-new, in a charming pictoral manner. One of Louis Brusa's illustrated songs that made a hit was "When Your're in Love With More Than One Girl You're Not in Love at All."

The Star—Charleroi.

Manager Tom Cowan is making a big hit with the new Star Theatre, which he renovated and reconstructed when he took over the management a few weeks ago. He gives three reels of high class photoplays changed every day. He also gives a matinee daily from 2 to 1:30 each afternoon, and starts the evening show promptly at 6 o'clock. Some of the strong features of the repertoire this week were "The Railroad Builder," "Crow Chief's Defeat,""After Twenty Years," "The Minute and the Maid," "The Sheriff's Captive," "The Boer War," in which comedy and tragedy and sentiment were happily blended. The cosy appointments of the Star, and the convenience of the afternoon matinees for out of town women shoppers is making the theatre a most popular amusement resort.

The Grand—Pittsburg.

An elaborate production by the Harry Davis stock players, in the Grand, of Charles Major's romantic play, "Dorothy Vernon of Hadden Hall," is on the tapis for the presentation the week beginning next Monday afternoon, June 19. Mr. Davis' players will employ the Marlow version. It requires a cast of 17 people, which will bring out the best talent of all the favorite stock players, providing adequate roles for Miss Lawrence, Mr. Nolan, Mr. Harris, Miss Dickson, Mr. Hirschberg, Miss Lemmert, Mr. Remley, Mrs. Vincent, Mr. Fox, Mr. MacFayden, Mr. Austen, Mr. Roberts and Mr. Harper.

The story of "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," is a tale of the tender passion in Tudor times in England. It is adoritly developed, and its action never lags. It is set amid picturesque scenery and the scenic artists and property men at the Grand will provide a versimilitude to the original locale which go a long way toward creating a perfect illusion of reality. Manager Davis promises a production in every way commensurate with the dramatic worth of Mr. Major's absorbing novel and one which may be compared favorably with the Marlowe production.

The Hippodrome—Pittsburg.

The season at Pittsburg Hippodrome will be inaugurated on Forbes Field, Pittsburg, Monday evening, June 19. The same method of equipment which obtained at the Hippodrome last season, will be retained this season, with the addition of improvements and new ideas for handling it. Lighting facilities, which were splendid, will be enhanced by a new battery of improved searchlights in addition to forty flaming arcs and an immense whitelight, which has been used for night photographing and nocturnal baseball games. Two forty-foot stages and one fifty-foot circus ring will be utilized to present the array of acts, and these will be supplemented by track and field events.

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The same scale of prices will remain in force this year, as in the past 10,000 grandstand seats being offered at 10 cents each, the reserved seats at 25 cents and the box seats at 50 cents. The advance sale will begin next Thursday morning, June 15 at the Lechner and Schoenberger Music House, 340-342 Fifth Avenue, adjoining the Grand Opera House.

Fox as a Gamester.

Charles James Fox, the English statesman, was even more notorious in the gaming world than he was famous in the world of politics. He had squandered $250,000 before coming of age. He became one of the most profligate gamesters of the vicious days in which he lived. Some of his finest displays in debate were sandwiched between excitement such as would unnerve most men who had no serious business on hand. Walpole has given a glimpse of a typical passage in this extraordinary man's life. He had to take part in the discussion on the thirty-nine articles in parliament on a certain Thursday. He had sat up playing hazard from Tuesday evening until 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. An hour before he had recovered $60,000 that he had lost and by dinner time, which was 5 o'clock, ended losing $55,000. On Thursday he spoke in the debate, went to dinner at past 11 at night; thence to a club, where he drank till 7 the next morning; thence to a gambling house, where he won $30,000, and between 3 and 4 in the afternoon he set out on a journey to Newmarket.

The Bloodletting Branch.

Not every pun is as good as one credited to a Dublin gentleman of long ago by the author of a book entitled "In Many Lands." George IV., on his visit to Dublin in 1821, met at a reception Sir Philip Crampton, Ireland's greatest surgeon.

"In what branch of the service is that magnificent looking man?" asked his majesty

The gentleman to whom the question was put was too polite to hint that the king was mistaken in supposing that the distinguished surgeon was a naval or military officer

"Sire," he replied, "he is a general in the lancers."

The American Corn Princess.

My father, Prince Napoleon Lucien Charles, was in exile in the United States, and so it happened that I was born in America on the borders of the Delaware. I came into the world with the last sigh of the old year—that is to say, at midnight on the 31st of December, 1833. I have said that my father was in exile. When he was eleven years old his mother left Naples with her four children—two boys and two girls—and retired to the Chateau de Frohsdorff, taking the title of Comtesse de Lipona—Napoli transposed. There my father lived till he was joined by his uncle, the Emperor Napoleon's eldest brother, King Joseph of Spain, who on the fall of the first empire had retired to the United States and taken a lovely place near Bordentown, N. J., where he lived for eleven years as Count de Survilliers. It was at Bordentown that I entered this sorry world, my father having in 1831 married a Miss Carolina Georgina Fraser of Scotch origin, descending from the old family of Lovat.—Princess Caroline Murat's "Memoirs."

A Shock to Vanity.

"My wife gave me a birthday present that has a tendency to take the conceit out of any man who thinks he's good looking," said the man who shaves himself. "I confess that I have all along had a sort of sneaking idea that I had a little more than my share of manly beauty; that when it came to a showdown I was there with the goods. But not any more. I'm cured And my wife's present did it. What was it? Why, simply one of those shaving glasses that magnify three times. The first time I used it I got a view of my face that rather startled me. Every blemish, every wild hair under the skin, every open pore, all the minute ugliness that isn't apparent to the naked eye—these things confronted me in all their magnified repulsiveness. I used the glass just once and then accidentally dropped it down the air shaft to the basement below. I don't want to look like a monstrosity every time I shave myself."—New York Times.

The Addition.

"What makes you act so grouchy this morning, Dobkins?"

"Had an addition to my family."

"What? Why, you ought to be ashamed to be gloomy over that! To think that a normal human being should be angry because of the advent of such a cherub! Do you actually grudge a place in your happy home to an innocent creature fresh from heaven, bringing with it the very fragrance of those celestial realms? Do you greet with an unwelcoming chill a small epitome of all purity and sweetness given into your keeping as a priceless though undeserved treasure by a too benevolent Providence? A lovely copy of what fancy feigns the angels to be like—a tiny shred of grace and glory snatched from the"—

"Say, that's very pretty, but do you know you're talking about my mother-in-law?"—New York Journal.

A Cow For a Life.

The Ober Gabelhorn is a peak notorious for the dangerous cornices which decorate its upper ridges. Of many accidents reported in connection with it perhaps the most remarkable says G. D Abraham in "Swiss Mountain Climbs," was the adventure which befell an amateur and his young guide. In passing along the dangerous final cornice it suddenly gave way under the amateur, and he went flying through space to apparent destruction The guide at the other end of the rope seemed in hopeless plight, but with astounding presence of mind he flung himself down the opposite side of the ridge, thus saving two lives. The rope cut deep into the snow above, but held firm. The young guide's name was Ulrich Almer. His reward was a cow.

A Horticultural Puzzle.

"It's no use," sighs the nature wizard. "I may as well give up."

"What is bothering you?" we ask sympathetically.

"I got started a few years ago on a whim of mine. I took a head of cabbage and crossed it with a white potato and grew eyes on it; then I crossed that with a cornstalk and grew ears on it; then I crossed that with a squash and grew a neck on it; then I crossed that with a cocoanut and grew hair on it, but hanged if I can figure out what to do for a nose and mouth!"—St. Louis Republic.

The Kangaroo Rat.

One of the queerest little animals of the antipodean wilds of the paradoxical continent of Australia is a little zoological oddity which the naturalists have called the kangaroo rat. It averages no larger than the common rodent of the Northern variety, but is a miniature kangaroo in every respect Its mode of locomotion is precisely the same as that of Macropus giganteus Besides this, the female carries its young in pouches which nature has provided for that purpose and in many other respects imitates the habits and characteristics of its gigantic relative.

Well, It Might Kick Himself.

Kenneth Kerr, just back from India, meets a lady he knows quite well in Regent street He cannot recollect her name. She stops and greets him cordially, saying: "How nice to see you again! You must come and lunch with me at my club—the Ladies' Lyceum—and give me all the Bombay news." Kerr says he will be delighted, but he cannot fix a day then "Just write to me at the club," says the lady "Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday will suit me" She passes on Kerr cannot remember what her name is. What ought he to do?—British Weekly.

First Flying Ambulances.

A valued servant and friend of the great Napoleon, Dominique Larrey, first established that system of "flying ambulances," which carried the wounded to the rear almost as soon as disabled. The staff numbered about 340 men with four heavy and twelve light two and four wheeled ambulances to each division Napoleon reviewed this arm of the service with the greatest interest and once exclaimed to Larrey: "Your work is one of the most important conceptions of our age. It will suffice for your reputation." For the Egyptian campaign Larrey secured the services of 800 qualified surgeons in addition to the regular force. At Alexandria General Figueres was severely wounded, and on his recovery wished to present Napoleon with a splendid Damascus saber. "Yes," said the emperor, "I accept in order to give it the surgeon in chief, by whose exertions your life has been spared." This saber, engraved with the words "Aboukir" and "Larrey," was taken from the great surgeon by the Prussians at Waterloo.—Charles Winslow Hall in National Magazine.

The Horrors of Thirst.

In the oasis of Mogara, says L. Dow Covington in the Wide World Magazine, we had a first experience of the desert traveler's great enemy—thirst We were seated in front of a Bedouin chief's tent, our two baby camels enjoying their first drink of water since they had left Cairo, when, from across a sand dune, a Bedouin came staggering and tottering toward us. His eyes were bloodshot, his lips twice their natural size, while his tongue, blue and dry, hung out of his mouth. Evidently he had lost himself, had wandered around for days in search of water and had stumbled upon the oasis in the very nick of time. To allow him to drink would have been his death In spite of his frantic struggles, he was held by four men, while a fifth allowed a few drops of water to trickle down his throat. It was as though he were a redhot boiler which would have to be allowed to cool off before being filled if an accident was to be avoided.

Objected to Publicity.

Old Brother Brown had been approached several times by the colored deacons of his church and asked to pay his church dues. He had promised to "pay up" just as soon as he sold a calf which he owned. Several months later he sold the calf. The next Sunday morning at service the congregation sang the old familiar hymn:

The half has never been told
Of life so full and free.

Brother Brown, somewhat deaf and conscious of his failure to pay his dues, understood the words to be:

The calf has never been sold.
But when it's sold he'll pay.

When the hymn was finished the old colored man, very indignant, arose and said:

"Bredren and sistahs, I has sold dat ca'f and heh's yo' ten dollahs! But I didn't ca' about de whole chu'ch singin' about it."—National Monthly.

A Costly Tuft of Feathers.

On the apex of the crown worn by the Prince of Wales on special occasions is a curious feather, or, rather, tuft of feathers, the top of which is adorned with a gold thread. The value of this feather is estimated at $50,000, and it has the distinction of being the only one of its kind in human possession. Twenty years passed after the first hunter set out to procure the feather before it was attained, and during that period more than a dozen hunters had lost their lives in the quest. The costly tuft is of periwak feathers, and the extraordinary danger incurred in procuring it was due to the fact that the periwak, for some unknown reason, is to be found only in dense jungles in which tigers make their lair.—Chicago Tribune.

Turning the Turtle

Turtle hunting is not without excitement. The method of capture consists of the simple act of turning the turtle on its back. Once in this position it is quite helpless. Its only defense is to cover its captor with sand thrown up by the powerful front legs or flippers. These are brought into action in an instant, and woe betide the captor who has his eyes and mouth open at the moment, for the sand is hurled with great force. When turned over the captive is dragged up the beach to above high water mark, and this is no easy task, for it weighs about four hundredweight.

Premeditated.

"And why do you claim that it was with malice aforethought that the automobile defendant ran down the complainant?"

"On the morning it happened, your honor, I heard him say that he was going to take out his new auto and see if he could not run across a few people he knew."—Houston Post.

A Giddy Girl.

"Is your daughter of a practical turn of mind?"

"No; she is very frivolous. Wants to take cooking lessons instead of perfecting her game of bridge."—Exchange.

His Honest Face.

"Anyway, he has an honest face."

"Honest? You surprise me."

"Yes; it's the only honest thing about him. It shows how dishonest he really is."—Life.

Not Misplaced.

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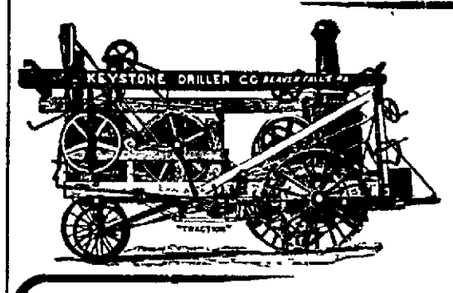

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Pardoning for the sake of argument the awfulness of the first inning there was some ball game down at the ball lot last night, when the Lutherans whipped the Christians by the score of 5 to 1 The game was packed, nailed and roped in in the first inning by the Lutherans and with only three hits to their credit at that.

Katsy Kiefer, late from Ohio started in to twirl for the Christins but apparently made the mistake of not getting his arm sufficiently unlimbered. Consequently he let too much happen all at once.

Wertz, first up nailed the ball to the value of three bases then after he had rested on third a moment discovered that Jolliffe was standing on second with the pellet in his hand, and the umpire was mildly waving dearest Winnie to the box seat, she having forgotten to touch second. Sharkey was presented with first base. Joe Mason soaked the ball but Heffran didn't grab it sufficiently with his gloved grabber when it sailed his way and Joe was safe. C. Mason was walked. Motts followed Charles Mason's example and a run was forced. To relieve the suspense as well as to put the game in the refrigerator Patton tapped the spheriod for three full bases, bringing in the whole outfit. Jolliffe relieved Kiefer in the box for the time being and Demarco caught one pretty and sending it to center for three. Patton scored.

It was one big row of ciphers after another for the Christians until the fifth inning . Vernom - first to the plate then troubled the ball for two sacks. Kiefer was out at first. Buchanan flied out, and Mathers was safe on an error, during which event Vernom trotted across the plate. That completed tallying of the Christians. Score:

Lutherans	R	H	P	A	E
Wertz, l	0	2	1	1	0
Sharkey, m	1	0	2	0	1
H. Mason, s	1	0	2	3	0
C. Mason, 1	1	0	9	0	0
Motts, 3	1	0	0	0	0
Patton, r	1	2	2	0	1
Cupp, 2	0	0	1	4	0
Demarco, c	0	1	3	0	0
Miller, p	0	1	1	1	0
Total	5	6	21	9	2

Christians	R	H	P	A	E
Heffran, r	0	0	0	0	1
Buchanan, r	0	0	0	0	0
Mathers, 2	0	1	2	3	0
Jolliffe, s-p	0	1	3	1	1
Miller, 1	0	1	0	0	0
Dunmire, 1	0	0	5	0	0
Kearns, c	0	0	5	3	0
Furnier, 3	0	0	1	1	0
Vernom, m	1	2	1	0	0
Kiefer, p-s	0	1	1	0	0
Total	1	6	18	8	2

Lutherans .....5 0 0 0 0 0 *—5
Christians .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1

Three base hits—Patton, Demarco. Two base hits—Vernom 2, Kiefer. Stolen bases—Sharkey, C.Mason, Patton, Mathers. Sacrifice hits—Patton. Struck out—By Kiefer 4, by Jolliffe 1, by Miller 1. Bases on balls—Off Miller 1, off Kiefer 5. Passed balls—Kearnes 2. Wild pitch—Kiefer. Hit by pitcher—Dunmire. Umpires—Daniel and Byland.

Charleroi Church League

Yesterday's Results

Lutherans, 5 Christians, 1

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Episcopals	5	1	833
Lutherans	4	1	800
Catholics	4	3	571
First Pres.	3	3	500
Baptists	3	3	500
Christians	2	4	334
W. A. Pres	2	4	334
Methodists	1	5	167

Games Next Week

Monday
Catholics vs. Methodists

Tuesday
Baptists vs. First Pres.

Wednesday
W. A. Pres. vs. Lutherans

Thursday
W. A. Pres. vs. Lutherans

Friday
Episcopals vs. Christians

STAR THEATRE

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Stealthy Robber is Captured by Victim

M. J. O. Storm of 820 Oakland Ave. Gets Rid of Monster 60 Feet Long, For Years Had Been Sapping His Very Life.

Among the visitors at the office of the Quaker Doctor yesterday was the gentleman mentioned above, a person known by everyone here as the owner of the tonsorial parlor at Seventh and Lincoln avenue having bought a package of the Quaker Doctor's herbs, he called at the office to see if the Quaker Doctor could diagnose his trouble. The Quaker upon making an examniation told Mr. Storm his whole trouble was without a doubt a tape worm and his herbs would get it without any trouble. Mr. Storm upon going home took the dose and in less than five hours passed the monster, and at once sent it down to the Quaker Doctor's office. Last night at the lecture as yard after yard of this enormous parasite was taken from the jar, there were many ejaculations of wonder and surprise.

Sixty feet of squirming, misery making tissue, this had been the cause of all the trouble. In an interview Mr. Storm said his symptoms were sleepless nights, pains over the abdomen, some days no appetite at all and at other times an enormous one; food seemed to do little good; he was weak, vitality low, and irregular bowels. Perhaps the most remarkable part of this work of removing these worms from grown people and children which the Quaker Herbs do so quickly, is the fact that there is no previous starvation or taking of powerful carthartics that rack and ruin the system. These Herbs act as a light laxative.

The Quaker Doctor says he will put this monster on exhibition at the show and lecture again tonight and he wants every one to know that Monday night will be the last chance to get the herbs directly from the Quaker company as Monday is the last night of the shows, the feature of which is the ladies' wood sawing match for $2.00 cash; though the company leaves here Tuesday the Quaker Doctor will retain his office on McKean avenue opposite Hotel Arthur, and can be seen there daily for consultation and advice.

BARGAIN SHOE SHOP HAS BARGAINS FOR YOU

First National Bank Basement

DAMAGE IS DONE BY CONFLAGRATION

The four room dwelling of T. W. Golden near Second street above Prospect avenue, was domaged to some extent by fire Friday night.The fire started in a clothes closet, and had a good start before it was discovered. None of the Golden' family was at home. Firemen were called out and soon after their arrival had the flames under control. The building was partially insured. The main damage was to the weather boarding.

LOCAL MENTION

A. C. McKean and J. D. Wilson are Pittsburg visitors today.

Miss Lottie Michener went to Munhall today for a visit with friends.

Harvey VanVoorhis, of Morgantown W. Va., was a visitor in Charleroi with Fred Cooper yesterday coming to attend the funeral of John Shanton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lowstutter and two children are spending the day in Pittsburg.

WANTED.

Good girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Wm. Kirk, 511 Crest avenue, Charleroi. 265-tf

Autoists From Fairmont

With a party of five oil men from Fairmont, W. Va., and vicinity, Harry Newcomer the brother of C. R. Newcomer of Charleroi and Walter Fullward of Fairmont, stopped in Charleroi a brief while this morning, while enroute to Pittsburg. Mr. Newcomer has an automobile agency at Fairmont handling the Oldsomobile machine and was taking the party to Pittsburg to see some machines

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

French Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship at 10:30 and 7. Prayer meeting at 7:30. Brotherhood meeting Thursday at 7:45. Everybody welcome. Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph. D., pastor.

Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11. Subject "Likeness to God." Evening prayer and confirmation address at 7:30. All are cordially invited. The Rt. Rev Bishop of diocese, Courtland Whitehead, S. T. D., will visit St. Mary's church Wednesday evening June 21 at 8 to admister the holy rite of confirmation. There will befull evening service and address by the bishop. This is the second visitation of the bishop this year to St. Mary's church. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, Rector.

Baptist.

Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 o'clock and 7:45 by Rev. M. B. Sloan. Everybody welcome.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching service at 11. Junior Endeavor at 2:15. Senior Endeavor at 6:45. At the evening service a special sermon will preach to the mem bers of the Charleroi Fire Department. All are cordially invited. Rev. J. T. Hacket, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Sunday services. Sunday school at 10. Public worship and Children's day exercises at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:45. Topic: "The Development and Best Use of Spiritual Gifts." Leader, Rev. F. A. Richards. Public worship and sermon at 7:45. Subject: "The Greatest Detective in the World." Everybody invited. F. A. Richards, pastor.

Washington Avenue.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Junior Endeavor at 6:30. Special musical program given by the Monessen Choral Union, directed by Prof. R. W. Davis. Preaching at 8:00. The music for this service will also be furnished by the Monessen will preach both morning and evening. Everbody welcome.

Firemen Practice.

Under the direction of Chief J. M. Fleming, members of the fire department were out for practice last night and made runs to Sixth street and to Third street. Hose couplings were made, the entire work being done in excellent time. A number of new men were being trained. A run was made to Third street and hose connections made in one minute and forty five seconds. Soon after the practice drill, the men were called out for a real fire.

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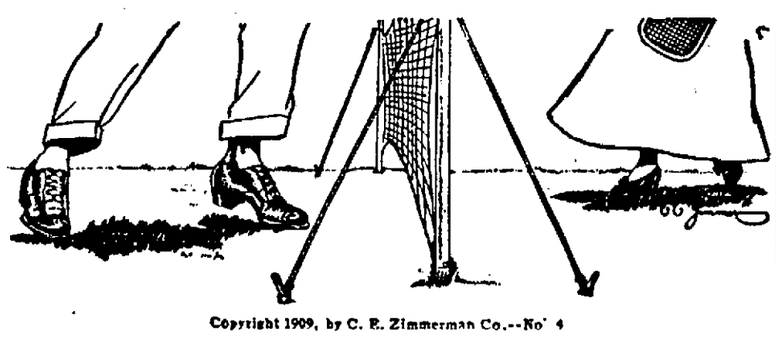

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ODD FELLOWS HOLD OUTING

Monongahela Valley Lodgemen at Cascade Park

MANY ATHLETIC EVENTS

Monessen and Monongahela Teams Capture Most of Prizes

Happy excursionists to the number of about 1,000 from towns between Brownsville and Monongahela, inclusive, enjoyed the annual outing at Cascade Park, near New Castle, given by the Monongahela Valley Picnic Association of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Friday. With good weather as an accessory in carrying out the well laid plans, the affair was made a memoraible occasion.

A special train carried the picnicers from the valley to New Castle. After the picnic lunch was disposed of a program of sports, consisting of various races, a tug of war and other athletic evants began. Monongahela and Monessen Odd Fellows captured most of the prizes in these events, and Charleroi was a close second in many of them. There were 17 events. The ball game between New Castle and Akron attracted the attention of a number of the picnicers.

Leaving the park at 6:30 o'clock the excursionists arrived home some time after 10 o'clock by special train.

MUST BLOW HORNS AT THE CORNERS

In order to prevent accidents arising from the alleged disregard of sensible methods of driving automobiles, Burgess George W. Risbeck has issued a notice to the effect that certain borough ordinances requiring the turning of corners at slow speed and blowing the horns at corners, must be obeyed. In addition he makes a suggestion that the practice of some drivers of machines running on the left side of the street be discontinued, owing to the possibility of collision and serious accident arising therefrom.

Burgess Risbeck and the members of the police force call atention to the fact that a number of machine owners are in the practice of leaving their machines stand on the street for indefinite periods or all night. This is contrary to ordinance and must be stopped.

FIVE GOOD GAMES ARE SCHEDULED

With five games next week, the Church League promises to develop some startling changes in the standing of clubs. Monday night will be "Booster's Day" and the Methodists and Catholics will play. The Washington Avenues and the Lutherans will play two games. The schedule for the week is: Monday—Catholics vs Methodist; Tuesday—Baptists vs First Presbyterians; Wednesday—W. A. Presbyterians vs Lutherans; Thursday— W. A. Pres vs Lutherans; Friday—Episcopals vs Christians

DONORA PEOPLE PETITION FOR FREE DELIVERY

Representative Matthews Takes Up Matter With Postoffice Department

Representative Charles Mahttews of this Congresional district has taken up the matter with the Postoffice Department of the petition of Donora citizens that the town be given free mail delivery. The petition states that for five or six years Donora has had sufficient population to justify a free delivery service. During the past year walks and streets have been undergoing repairs preparatory to filing the petition. An inspection will be sent to the town to invesigate conditions and make a report, after which action will be taken.

AUDIT BY NEW CODE

Work May be Started But Not Finished Now

SOME OF ITS CONDITIONS

The audits of the school accounts of the various districts of Washington county made in may cases on Monclosed their accounts Monday the reports cannot be forwarded to the counnot be completed until after the first Monday of July, according to the new school code.

While many of the school boards slosed their acounts Monday the reports canot be forwarded to the county superintendent until after the first Monday in July, which marks the close of the fiscal year instead of June 1 as formerly. The report that is filed with the county superintendent must contain the report of June and up till the first Monday of July and therefore the county superintendent has warned the secretaries of the boards not to send in their reports until after July 3.

The new school code says specifically that the financial report submitted for the last school year must show the audit of all school accounts up until the firct Monday of July.

In Washington county there are six third class districts and the balance of the districts are fourth class. The Canonsburg, Monongahela, Charleroi, Donora and Carroll township. All others are in the fourth class. The new code says that the auditing board in the third class districts shall be composed of two memebers of the board appointed by the court of common pleas. In reference to the fourth clas districts, the code sets forth that the finances shall be audited by the proper borough or township auditors and that said auditing board shall make this audit the first Monday of July or within five days thereafter.

Tuesday, June 20 at The Star.

The Great Boer War in moving pictures and illustrated lecture. This should be seen by everyone as it is of historical value. 5 cents 264t5

J. M. Fleming's garden hose is guaranteed for two years. 254tf

FELL FROM A LADDER

L. McClure Dies From Injuries Received This Week

WAS WELL KNOWN MAN

Came to Charleroi When Town Was in Its Infancy --Helped Found Church

From injuries received Thursday morning in a fall from a ladder, Leander McClure, aged 61, and a pioneer of Charleroi, died at 11:30 o'clock Friday night at his home at 311 Washington avenue. Renal hemorhages were the immediate cause of death.

Mr. McClure was engaged in painting the house of U. S. Orange, on Third street Thursday morning, and was at the top of the ladder when he lost his balance and fell. In falling he struck the banister railing and sustained internal abdominal injuries. Taken home he seemed to be getting better and last evening showed signs of improvement. He expired very quickly.

One son, Frank, and one daughter Miss Linnie, both at home, survive, together with his widow. There are three brothers, James A. McClure, of Sharon, Robert M. McClure, of Wilkinsburg, and Samuel McClure, of Buena Vista.

Mr. McClure came to Charleroi 20 years ago, when the town was just starting. He became a contract teamster. Retiring from this work he became a painter. Mr. McClure has been a life-long member of the Baptist church, uniting with that denomination at Elizabeth in his boyhood. He was one of the founders and a charter member of the First Baptist church, of Charleroi.

ROBERT ELLISON, DIES FROM CANCER

Well Known Man Expires at Home of His Brother on Fallowfield Avenue

Robert K. Ellison, 51 years, seven months and four days old, and a pioneer citizen of Charleroi, died Friday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock, at the home of his brother, Harry F. Ellison, of 114 Fallowfield avenue, from cancer of the stomach, from which he had been suffering for some time. The funeral will be held at 8 o'clock Monday morning, with requiem high mass at St. Jerome's Catholic church. On the 9:16 train the body will be taken to Pittsburg for interment in the Calvary cemetery there.

Mr. Ellison had been in poor health for some time, but was seriously ill since about Christmas. He was one of the original Hussy-Pinns Shovel workers, coming to Charleroi about 20 years ago when the plant was being started. He was employed at this plant for more than 15 years, and then secured employment at the Pittsburg Steel mill, Monessen. Some time ago, he went to Cambridge Springs, but his health was unimproved.

Four brothers survive, Harry and Charles Ellison of Charleroi, and Samuel and James Ellison of Baltimore, Md. The deceased was a member of Charleroi Aerie No390, Fraternal Order of Eagles and of Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians.

FUNERAL OF JOHN SHANTON IS HELD

The funeral of John Shanton, the well known Monongahela valley resident who died this week in Oklahoma City, Okla., was held Friday afternoon at the Christian church, with Rev. S. A. Thrasher [illegible] Shanton, W. Va., in charge of the services. Interment was in Frye's cemetery. A large number of friends from Charleroi and vicinity paid their respects to the deceased. The pall bearers were T. P. Grant, Fred S. Cooper, T. R. Eagye, and Joseph Hepler.

CONTROLLER IS IGNORED

County Commissioners Sell Bonds Regardless of Moffitt

GIVES OUT A STATEMENT

County Controller Has Say in Regard to the Matter

Determined, evidently, to ignore the county controller, the county commissioners on Friday without the former's co-operation, as the law requires awarded to J. S. & W. S. Kuhn and E. H. Rollins & Sons, jointly, five hundred thousand dollars of road imprivement bonds, at a bid of par and accrued interest with a premium of $5,700. Bonds are to bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent per annum, and are subject to the state tax of four mills. The first $350,000 of the issue is to be delivered as the commissioners need the money for the work in hand. The remaining $150,000 to be delivered December 15.

Concerning the peculiar actions of the commissioners in ignoring him in the whole transaction, Mr. Moffitt said:

"By their own statement the commisioners have made it plain that they are ignoring the office of the county controller, but I am still here and I propose to safeguard the interests of the taxpayers and compel regularity and an obedience to the law in all the transactions in the office of the county commissioners and in every other office which comes under the controller's supervision."

BOOSTER DAY IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Tags are being sold by managers and players in the Charleroi Baseball league for "Booster Day" to be celebrated by the Charleroi Church Baseball league on Monday evening. At that time theCatholics and Methodists are scheduled to play.

The object of "Booster's Day" will be to recoup the Church league treasury. Heavy expenses have made a big hole in the treasury and something is necessary to lift the burden. Purchasers of tags have to pay 25 cents. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged to ladies at the ball park.

CHILDREN'S DAY IS BIG SUCCESS

What was undoubtedly the most successful Children's Day ever held by the Charleroi Circle No.303, P.H. C. was held Friday night. It was the sixth annual affair of the kind. In the program which was given under the direction of Frank B. Taylor, 50 children participated. Songs, recitations, readings and various numbers of a literary or musical nature furnished entertainment in abundance for the 300 or so persons who attended.

The hall was beautifully decorated With palms and bunting of national colors forming the back ground, a profusion of flowers was artistically arranged. An arch formed of roses and other flowers was arranged over the speakers.

Following the rendition of the program refreshments were served. Simcox's orchestra furnished special music, and dancing completed the

Adult Classes Will Discuss Convention

For the purpose of making arrangements for attending the annual county Sunday school convention at Canonsburg, next week, as well as to consider other important business, a meeting of the Adult Federated Classes will be held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon. Members of the Adult classes are planning to attend the Adult Day celebration on Friday of the convention in a body and participate in the parade. A special car may be secured to take the party to Canonsburg and bring them back.

NOT PERMITTED TO WASH RIGS ON THE STREET

Burgess Risbeck Notifies Liveryman and Others He Will Enforce Law

Owing to complaints of annoyance arising, it is claimed, from teamsters liverymen and owners of horses, washing their rigs on the street Burgess George W. Risbeck has found it necessary to make a ruling that on and after July 1, such work must be done elsewhere than on the street. Also liverymen must cease hitching and unhitching their rigs outside of their barns.

Burgess Risbeck is only following out a borough ordinance in making his ruling. Complaints have come from certain quarters of the practice of washing rigs and horses on the streets, and it was considered necessary for the best interests of all concerned to heed them.

PREPARING FOR FOURTH

Monessen People Plan Celebration on an Elaborate Scale

THE PAGEANT OF NATIONS

Last year Monessen celebrated the Fourth of July by a parade of all the nationalities of peoples represented within her boundaries. This parade was one of the most unique features ever pulled off in the valley, as the various nationalities paraded in native costumes in many cases being accompanied by bands playing fatherland tunes.

The big steel town is planning to repeat last year's progrom on a larger scale this Fourth of July. The foreign nationalities are responding readily, as they now understand the nature of the exhibition and clever features are being secretly planned by a number of different organizations.

Special arragements nave been made for a fireworks exhibition. It is planned to have the exhibition in charge of an expert who will touch off the display from the hills across the river from Monessen. This will allow a good view of the fireworks from all parts of the town and eliminate the danger of fire.

An excellent program of sports is being arranged and medals will be given to the winners of the amateur events.

POTREBUYUME.

Divku do houzu robot musi verdet Anglicki a ma jnat varit Hlaste sa na adresu Paul Wm. Kirk, 511 Crest avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 265tf

The Waldorf Cafe.

Under new management will serve a special bill of fare on Sunday, June 18, chicken and waffile included. The bill of fare will be under the management of George King, the noted cook from Buffalo, New York. 266t1p

Lawrence paint is made to stand the weather. J .H.Bowers. 265t1

READY FOR NEW BANK

Monessen to Have Postal Savings Depository

EFFECTIVE ON JUNE 27

Rules Are Announced--Deposits Must Not Exceed $100 Per Week

The order creating a postal savings bank in Monessen will become effective on June 27, at which time Postmaster E. M. Frye will be prepared to receive deposits. Under instructions from the postmaser general Postmaster Frye will go to Dubois June 19 and stay until the 20th to familiarize himself with the workings of a postal savings bank, Dubois having been in operation for some time.

The local postal banking business will be conducted through the money order and registry departments, there being no other space at the postoffice available for the purpose. It is probable that the money order clerk will be in charge.

While there wil be much extra work thrown on the employes it will not be like in a bank which does a checking business. There is none of this in the government banks. Accounts are deposited for the sole purpose of drawing interest and if withdrawn within a year the depositor receives no interest.

The original deposit must be made in person; subsequent ones by mail. The minimum deposit received is $1, but stamps may be purchased at 10 cents each and affixed to a card and when the total reaches a dollar, a certificate will be issued, the same when a dollar deposit is made. Deposits may be made in the sums of $1, $2, $5, $20, $50, $100 and up to $500 which is the maximum deposit allowed exclusive of accumulated interest.

Deposits may not exceed $100 in any one week. The accounts draw two per cent interest. They may be exchanged for government bonds bearing two and one-half per cent.

Any person ten years or over may open an account. Accounts of married women are not subject to interference by their husbands. Individuals only may open accounts. Corporations, firms, partnerships, etc., are barred. All that is necessary is to make application to the postmaster who will issue a certificate for the amount of the deposit. Deposits may be withdrawn at any time.

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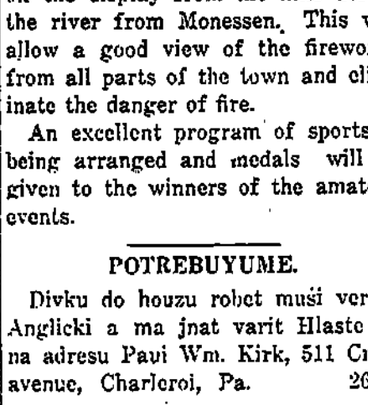

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June 17 In American History.

1775—Battle of Bunker Hill.

1877—Robert Dale Owen, statesman and author, died; born 1800.

1889—John Gibbs Gilbert, noted actor, died; born 1810.

1905—General Maximo Gomez, Cuban revolutionary leader, died; born 1831.

1910—Walter R. Brookins ascended 4,800 feet in an aeroplane, then a world's altitude record.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:24; moon rises 11:43 p. m.; noon today, sun directly south, as only on April 15, Aug. 31, Dec. 24.

NURSE YOUR JOB.

Every man, women or child who is obliged to work for wages and hold a position had better consider the opportunity at its proper valuation. Ordinarily work is not to be desired for work's sake, as in an economic sense labor is an end instead of means; but at this particular stage indications point to a check in production all along the line of industry, and that means a curtailment of labor. During the next few months it is probable that there will be many layoffs and suspensions in business and industrial circles, and that opportunities for new positions will be scarce. It therefore behooves the man with a job to value it as an end for the time being at least. Jobs are likely to be scarce for some time to come.

Many strikes and labor troubles have occurred over the discharge and suspension of employes in slack times. Employers inevitably let go the least efficient under such circumstances, while many organizations insist that such reduction should be made according to seniority; that is, those who had been longest in the employe of a company should be retained in preference to a new man who has been with the company a shorter period. This question has been threshed out over and over again, with no nearer solution than at first. It probably never will be settled to the satisfaction of all concerned, but the thing for each worker to do is to endeavor to qualify personally for his job to the extent that his services are of profit to the concern he serves, and a valuable asset to be considered. In other words the man who nurses his job is the one who retains it the longest in times of depression.

HERE ARE THE FACTS.

Because it expressed some surprise that the county commissioners should seek to protect and favor a criminal who is now serving a jail sentence, the Washington Record states that the Mail has a jaudiced view of the situation. It also accuses the Mail of ignorance in the case and asks for the facts because this paper stated that the fine imposed by the court and not collected by the commissioners according to their sworn duty, was being held up to permit an appeal to the State Board of Pardons. The Record says that "the Mail should know that the application was made long ago," and that a decision is now pending.

The question of whether an application for a pardon has been or is to be made in the case has no bearing on the duty of the county commissioners. The culprit was adjudged guilty in the county court of selling intoxicating liquor illegally, and the testimony showed that he was a flagrant offender. The court imposed a jail sentence and a fine of one thousand dollars and costs. The severity of the fine indicates that in the eyes of the court there were no extenuating circumstances in the case. Having means and influence the case was appealed by the defendant to the Superior Court which sustained the decision of the lower court. This in turn was appealed to the Supreme Court, which also sustained the original verdict. As a last resort application was made to the Board of Pardons in the hope that the fine might be mitigated and the costs thrown on the county, as the defendant was obliged to begin serving his jail sentence as soon as the Supreme Court decision was handed down. The commissioners however have refrained from collecting the fine and costs in order to give the culprit the last possible chance to evade the payment.

The culprit was clearly guilty, and the court has issued a mandamus to compel the commisioners to collect the fine and costs. For the commissioners to evade their duty in making this collection as soon as the Supreme Court decision was announced, is most extraordinary. The commissioners were not elected by the people for the purpose of helping a convicted criminal to evade the payment of a fine and to throw the costs of an expensive case on the county. If the convicted one can find a loop hole in the law through some technicality to enable him to escape the penalty of his transgresions, that is his business. It is the duty of the commissioners to look after the interests of the county

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The trouble with a sham battle is that sometimes some fellows forget and point their guns at those nearby.

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Agricultural pursuits still lead in Greene county. That being the case we may expect to be greeted by the same throng of happy agriculturalists, usually called farmers in Greene.

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Next week college commencement season will be continued and in most cases--thank heaven--concluded.

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It is a good thing to respect chickens--especially when the chickens belong to the other fellow.

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The best laid plans "gang aft aglee" Even the county commisioners are refused the comfort of being able to pull the wool over the eyes of the people.

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Society banquets are sometimes featured by the presence of a flowing bowl, the flowing of which containeth spikes.

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August is the month of reunions the same as June is the month of commencements and weddings.

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"Troublesome inquiries" sometimes happen to bring about the desired trust-busting results.

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"Uncle Joe" Cannon has the reputation of being a noted man, but he never attained the notoriety one Teddy did with trust-busting.

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Some speeches would sound more intelligible and more intellectual if delivered in the Chinese language.

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"Billy" Sunday told Erie what he was going to do. Now he is doing it.

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Independence is something most fellows like to pretend they have when they haven't.

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Carrie Nation left an estate of about $10,000, which is about $9,999,99 more than many persons had who snickered at her.

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It wouldn't seem surprising if President Taft took on a little superior air since he shook hands with Honus Wagner and Ty Cobb.

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A Texas town has become noted as being a flyless city. Still a fly town can sometimes be flyless.

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Coal developments in a comparatively slow time, make mighty interesting reading.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"I saw my first ball game at Forbes Field in Pittsburg yesterday," said a Charleroi resident, "and I must say it was a disappointment. There's too much grand stand and not enough personality in the game for the spectator. Not being in the millionaire class I bought a 75-cent ticket, and got a seat directly behind the catcher, on the seventh row from the front of the stand, which was the front row of that schedule. This, however, was fully as far from the catcher's box as from Fifth to Sixth street, on McKean avenue, and the only way to distinguish the players was by the uniforms they wore. The Pirates were clad in white while the Bostons wore blue. You couldn't see a man's face or hear a word that was said. The only player I could distinguish on the field was the stocky form of Honus Wagner. The play was all automatic, and as the day was cloudy the ball could not be followed with the eye on ground hits. You might just as well have watched a moving picture exhibition.

"Owing to the immense size of the grand stand the ground really looks smaller than the Charleroi field. If one sat in the rear of the grand stand it would be equivalent to watching a game across the river from Charleroi. I wonder that some one has not been killed there, as every foul fly that eludes the catcher's territory drops in the grand stand among the spectators At least a dozen foul flies dropped there during the game I witnessed, and the only reason no one was hit was because the crowd was so slim that the ball struck the seats with a crash that in some cases meant repairs. The man who sits in the grand stand at Forbes Field had better wear a high crowned derby hat as a protector. Otherwise he runs the risk of getting his 'cocoa' caved in.

As for attendance, it is no better proportionately except on gala occasions, than at the Church Leagues games in Charleroi. The grand stand at Forbes Field at the game I witnessed looked like a church congregation in dog days. There only appeared to be a few hundred, scattered about the immense grand stand with tiers and tiers of vacant seats. The papers stated the attendance was 2,352, but the bulk of these were in the 25 and 50 cent bleachers I like to see a profesional game, all right, but I want to see the faces of the players, to hear their voices—in other words to realize the personality there is in the game. To me there is little satisfaction in looking at the game through a knot hole at the back fence, and a seat in the grand stand at Forbes Field is no better than that.

Robespierre's Style of Dress.

Robespierre's manner of dress, even at the period when the demagogues affected the slovenliness and disorder of indigence in order to flatter the people, was clean, decent and precise as that of a man who respects himself in the eyes of others. His white powdered hair, turned up in clusters over his temples; a bright blue coat buttoned over his hips, open over the breast to display a white vest; short yellow colored breeches, white stockings and shoes with silver buckles, formed his invariable costume during the whole of his public life. It was said that he desired by thus never varying the style or color of his garments to make the same impression in the sight and imagination of the people as a medal of his face would have caused.—Lamartine's "History of the Girondists."

The History of Interest.

By "usury" the ancient teachers meant any interest that was exacted by the lender of money from the borrower solely as the price of the loan. Those who lent money at 8 per cent, or even 1 per cent, were committing usury quite as really as those who lent it at 40 per cent. The old-time prejudice against interest was based on the theory, at one time quite universal, that "money is sterile by nature" and that, therefore, to exact profit from it is both absurd and unjust. For centuries pretty nearly all the authorities in church and state were committed to such idea, and it was not until quite recent times that the old error was exploded.—New York American.

A LEGAL DILEMMA

Tangle of Red Tape in an English Extradition Case.

GETTING AROUND THE LAW.

Only the Quick Wit of the Canadian Police Inspector Kept a Notorious Criminal in Custody When in Reality He Was as Free as the Air.

The manner in which a prisoner extradited to England from a foreign country is treated while on the voyage home depends very much on the detective who has him in charge and also on whether or no there is any suspicion that he may be contemplating violence either to himself or to others.

For instance, in the case of Jabez Balfour, who was taken to England all the way from Buenos Aires, there was a strong suspicion—probably ill founded—that he contemplated committing suicide. Consequently Inspector Froest, who had him in charge, decided to take no risks that he could possibly avoid.

The regulations do not permit of an unconvicted prisoner being handcuffed on board ship once the vessel has left port, and he must be allowed one hour's exercise on deck each day. These indulgences, if indulgences they may be called, were therefore not withheld from Balfour.

But he got few others. For twenty-three hours out of every twenty-four he was immured in a locked cabin. He was not permitted even to enter the public dining room, his meals being brought to him by Mr. Froest himself after the rest of the passengers had fed. He was, besides, constantly watched and was subjected to a most rigorous search immediately on coming aboard.

His only relaxation was an occasional game of chess with some of the passengers who kindly came to his cabin to play with him by permission and in the presence of his keeper. This sea imprisonment lasted exactly one month and a day, and Balfour afterward declared that it was the most trying experience of a captivity that was destined to continue for nearly twelve years.

One of the longest and in its later stages one of the pleasantest voyages ever undertaken by an unconvicted criminal was that which Charles Hylton Davidson, the notorious forger, made some years back in the custody of Chief Inspector Murray of the Canadian department of justice.

Murray tracked the wanted man to Mexico and secured his extradition to Canada. But then his difficulties began. He could not bring his prisoner to Canada by the direct route through the United States, for immediately Davidson set foot in that country he could have demanded to be released. There was therefore nothing for it but to convey him by way of Jamaica and England and thence back across the Atlantic to Quebec.

On the voyage Murray kept Davidson under close observation, although allowing him considerably more freedom than Froest allowed Balfour. When, however, he had got safely as far as London he was both mortified and astonished at the likelihood of his having had all his trouble for nothing.

The law was, he was told, that a prisoner extradited from a foreign country to a British colony could not be kept in custody in England for longer than twenty-four hours, nor could he be taken as a prisoner on board a British ship sailing from a British port.

Here was a dilemma. Davidson was free as air—had he only known it. But Murray was equal to the occasion. "Look here, Davidson," he said, "I've got you safe. There is only the last stage of the journey to complete. If I allow you to travel saloon with me as an ordinary first class passenger will you give me your word to play me no tricks?"

To this proposition Davidson, knowing nothing of the real state of affairs, was naturally quite ready to agree. And so it came to pass that one of the most notorious criminals Canada has ever known came home in state; free, yet not free, a voluntary prisoner, and yet an involuntary one.—Pearson's Weekly.

Tactful Truth.

"I appeal to Mr. Verity, whose truthfulness nobody doubts," said the outraged hostess, with a glitter in her eye. "Mr. Verity, do you think I supply my boarders with bad butter?"

The others looked eager attention to see how Mr. Verity would get out of it.

"Madam," he answered, with a bow, "the truth on which you compliment me forces me to declare that your butter is one of your strong points."—Baltimore American.

Bites.

The safest way to measure your maximum bite longitudinally is to lay it out on an ear of corn. To get the depth of the bite, measure it in a slice of watermelon.—Boston Globe.

And the best way to determine the capacity of your bite is to watch you eat beans.—Cleveland Plain Dealer

Serious.

Mother—Oh, Effie! What has happened to your dolly? Effie—The doctor says it's a nervous breakdown. He prescribed mucilage.—Life.

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The Shapes of Eggs.

There was recently had before the Zoological society of London a mathematical discussion of the differences in the shape of eggs. A few eggs, like those of the owl and the tortoise, are spherical, or nearly so; a few, like the grebe's or the cormorant's, are elliptical, with symmetrical ends; the great majority, like the hen's, are ovoid, or blunter at one end than the other. The hen's egg is always laid blunt end foremost. Eggs that are the most unsymmetrical are also eggs of large size relatively to the parent bird. The yolks of eggs are spherical, whatever the form of the entire egg may be. This has been shown to be due to their being inclosed in a solid, the "white," which makes the pressure everywhere on the surface of the yolk practically constant.—Scientific American.

Obeyed Directions.

One of the small theaters in Pittsburg at which moving pictures and vaudeville sketches alternate recently changed a sign which read: "Ladies that remove their hats will find mirrors and all conveniences on the room to the left as they pass out. Thank you for removing them." Some of their patrons acted too literally on the sign. Just before it was changed one of the employees saw a woman of rustic appearance and a happy expression leaving with several combs, a brush and two small hand mirrors.

"Say, what do you think you're doin' with those things?" he demanded.

She was taking them home, she informed him.

"Naw, yer not," said the man; "we don't put them things in there for you to take away."

"Well, of all things," exclaimed the indignant dame, "an' didn't I read with my own eyes that you would thank ladies to remove them. And ain't I a lady?"

Then the sign was changed.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times

Unconscious Humor.

In Munro's "Homeric Grammar" the author gives a curious turn to his explanation of the Greek word "lonomai," which he interprets as "I wash myself, but this is comparatively rare!" Again, Liddell and Scott in their "Standard Lexicon" give the meaning of "gnodalon" as "any wild, dangerous animal, from a lion to a worm!"

In Nagler's "Kunstler Lexikon," a book of reference for a connoisseur of prints, we find: "Pure, Simon. The correct name of the English caricaturist known as George Cruikshank." Evidently some one had told the compiler that of the three of that name George was the real "simon pure."

Lived Up to Her Name.

Apropos of the eternal domestic question, an Englishwoman relates this experience: "I engaged a maid named Pearl, and as I simply couldn't ask a Pearl to fill the coal scuttle or to holystone to the doorstep I said 'I would rather call you by some other name. Have you a second one?' 'Yes,' replied the damsel brightly, 'my second name is Opal.' So I stuck to Pearl. At one time I all but engaged a maid named Hermione, but upon asking her, 'Have you a black dress, white caps and aprons?' she replied acidly: 'Yes, I have, but I'm not going to wear 'em. Ma didn't christen me 'Ermione for to wear a livery.'"

A Strange Likeness.

An extraordinary resemblance has recently been discovered at the London Natural History Museum between a specimen of the huge African elephant and the pygmy shrew mouse. Sir E. Ray Lankester suggested comparison of the two, and the result has been that practically every bone, muscle, blood vessel and nerve of the giant beast has been found identically reproduced in the little animal, which is scarcely two inches in length. In the museum a stuffed mouse has been placed between the fore feet of its enormous mounted prototype for the purpose of showing the curious likeness.

Plenty in Reserve.

A man who had been fighting got two black eyes. Next morning he met a friend, who exclaimed:

"Why, Jack, where have you been? You've got two black eyes!"

"That's nothing," he replied. "I could have got plenty more, only I had no place to put them."

Pleasant.

Strange Guest—I don't know half the people in the room. Just look at that woman over there, the cross eyed, red headed one. And some one told me she was married. Don't you think the fellow was a fool? Other Guest (meekly)—I know he was. I'm him.—Baltimore American

Talked Too Much.

Wife (reproachfully)—You forget how you once breathed your love in my ear and promised that my every wish should be gratified. Hub—No, I don't, but I wish now I'd followed the hygienic rule of keeping my mouth shut while breathing.—Boston Transcript.

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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

Striking photoplays at the Palace Theatre this week were "The Writing on the Blotter," "Mistrust," and "Enoch Arden." The first was the story of a young man falsely sent to jail through the thieving schemes of a manager. The former's wife turns private detective and secures evidence which clears her husband. "Mistrust" was the story of a hunter who arrested for trespass, writes an anonymous letter to the gamekeeper comprising the latter's wife The gamekeeper goes to his home and hearing voices inside, fires a shot through the door, only to discover that his children alone were inside. He sees the true state of affairs, and effects a reconciliation with his wife The old story of "Enoch Arden" is told a-new, in a charming pictoral manner One of Louis Brusa's illustrated songs that made a hit was "When You're in Love With More Than One Girl You're Not in Love at All."

The Star—Charleroi.

Manager Tom Cowan is making a big hit with the new Star Theatre, which he renovated and reconstructed when he took over the management a few weeks ago He gives three reels of high class photoplays changed every day He also gives a matinee daily from 2 to 4:30 each afternoon, and starts the evening show promptly at 6 o'clock Some of the strong features of the repertoire this week were "The Railroad Builder," "Crow Chief's Defeat," "After Twenty Years," "The Minute and the Maid," "The Sheriff's Captive." "The Boer War," in which comedy and tragedy and sentiment were happily blended.

The cosy appointments of the Star, and the convenience of the afternoon matinees for out of town women shoppers is making the theatre a most popular amusement resort.

The Grand—Pittsburg.

An elaborate production by the Harry Davis stock players, in the Grand, of Charles Major's romantic play, "Dorothy Vernon of Hadden Hall," is on the tapis for the presentation the week beginning next Monday afternoon, June 19. Mr. Davis' players will employ the Marlow version. It requires a cast of 17 people, which will bring out the best talent of all the favorite stock players, providing adequate roles for Miss Lawrence, Mr. Nolan, Mr. Harris, Miss Dickson, Mr. Hirschberg, Miss Lemmert, Mr. Remley, Mrs. Vincent, Mr. Fox, Mr. MacFayden, Mr. Austen, Mr. Roberts and Mr. Harper.

The story of "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," is a tale of the tender passion in Tudor times in England. It is adoritly developed, and its action never lags. It is set amid picturesque scenery and the scenic artists and property men at the Grand will provide a reproduction to the original locale which go a long way toward creating a perfect illusion of reality. Manager Davis promises a production in every way commensurate with the dramatic worth of Mr Major's absorbing novel and one which may be compared favorably with the Marlowe production.

The Hippodrome—Pittsburg.

The season at Pittsburg Hippodrome will be inaugurated on Forbes Field, Pittsburg, Monday evening, June 19. The same method of equipment which obtained at the Hippodrome last season, will be retained this season, with the addition of improvements and new ideas for handling it. Lighting facilities, which were splendid, will be enhanced by a new battery of improved searchlights in addition to forty flaming arcs and an immense whitelight, which has been used for night photographing and nocturnal baseball games. Two forty-foot stages and one fifty-foot circus ring will be utilized to present the array of acts, and these will be supplemented by track and field events.

The acts presented on the stages and in the ring will include ground and lofty tumblers. Herculean athletes, gymnasts, acrobats, equilibrists jugglers, equestrians, dancers, wire-walkers, rope-walkers, roughriders, trick and fancy shots, a troupe of funny clowns, performig wild beasts, educated domestic animals, etc. The gates will open every week night at 7:30 o'clock, at which hour Nirella's popular Fourteenth Regiment Concert Band will begin a preliminary program of popular music, and will also provide the incidental music for the various acts. The big show will start at 8:30 and from that time until the pyrotechnicist sets off the final battery of fireworks and the band plays "Home Sweet Home," there will not be an idle second on either of the stages or in the ring

The same scale of prices will remain in force this year, as in the past 10,000 grandstand seats being offered at 10 cents each, the reserved seats at 25 cents and the box seats at 50 cents. The advance sale will begin next Thursday morning, June 15 at the Lechner and Schoenberger Music House, 340-342 Fifth Avenue, adjoining the Grand Opera House.

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Fox as a Gamester.

Charles James Fox, the English statesman, was even more notorious in the gaming world than he was famous in the world of politics He had squandered $250,000 before coming of age. He became one of the most profligate gamesters of the vicious days in which he lived Some of his finest displays in debate were sandwiched between excitement such as would unnerve most men who had no serious business on hand Walpole has given a glimpse of a typical passage in this extraordinary man's life. He had to take part in the discussion on the thirty-nine articles in parliament on a certain Thursday. He had sat up playing hazard from Tuesday evening until 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon An hour before he had recovered $60,000 that he had lost and by dinner time which was 5 o'clock, ended losing $55,000. On Thursday he spoke in the debate, went to dinner at past 11 at night; thence to a club, where he drank till 7 the next morning; thence to a gambling house, where he won $30,000, and between 3 and 4 in the afternoon he set out on a journey to Newmarket.

The Bloodletting Branch.

Not every man is as good as one credited to a Dublin gentleman of long ago by the author of a book entitled "In Many Lands." George IV., on his visit to Dublin in 1821, met at a reception Sir Phillip Crampton, Ireland's greatest surgeon

"Is that magnificent looking man?" asked his majesty

The gentleman to whom the question was put was too polite to hint that the king was mistaken in supposing that the distinguished surgeon was a naval or military officer

"Sire," he replied, "he is a general in the lancers"

The American Born Princess.

Mr Father, Prince Napoleon Lucien Charles, was in exile in the United States, and so it happened that I was born in America on the borders of the Delaware. I came into the world with the last sigh of the old year—that is to say, at midnight on the 31st of December, 1833. I have said that my father was in exile. When he was eleven years old his mother left Naples with her four children—two boys and two girls—and retired to the Chateau de Frohsdorff, taking the title of Comtesse de Lipona—Napoli transposed. There my father lived till he was joined by his uncle, the Emperor Napoleon's eldest brother, King Joseph of Spain, who on the fall of the first empire had retired to the United States and taken a lovely place near Bordentown, N. J., where he lived for eleven years as Count de Survilliers. It was at Bordentown that I entered this sorry world, my father having in 1831 married a Miss Carolina Georgina Fraser of Scotch origin, descending from the old family of Lovat—Princess Caroline Murat's "Memoirs."

A Shock to Vanity.

"My wife gave me a birthday present that has a tendency to take the conceit out of any man who thinks he's good looking," said the man who shaves himself "I confess that I have all along had a sort of sneaking idea that I had a little more than my share of manly beauty; that when it came to a showdown I was there with the goods. But not any more I'm cured And my wife's present did it. What was it? Why, simply one of those shaving glasses that magnify three times. The first time I used it I got a view of my face that rather startled me. Every blemish, every wild hair under the skin, every open pore, all the minute ugliness that isn't apparent to the naked eye—these things confronted me in all their magnified repulsiveness I used the glass just once and then accidentally dropped it down the air shaft to the basement below I don't want to look like a monstrosity every time I shave myself."—New York Times.

The Addition.

"What makes you act so grouchy this morning, Dobkins?"

"Had an addition to my family."

"What? Why, you ought to be ashamed to be gloomy over that! To think that a normal human being should be angry because of the advent of such a cherub! Do you actually grudge a place in your happy home to an innocent creature fresh from heaven, bringing with it the very fragrance of those celestial realms? Do you greet with an unwelcoming chill a small epitome of all purity and sweetness given into your keeping as a priceless though undeserved treasure by a too benevolent Providence? A lovely copy of what fancy feigns the angels to be like—a tiny shred of grace and glory snatched from the"—

"Say, that's very pretty, but do you know you're talking about my mother-in-law?"—New York Journal.

A Cow For a Life.

The Ober Gabelhorn is a peak notorious for the dangerous cornices which decorate its upper ridges Of many accidents reported in connection with it perhaps the most remarkable says G D Abraham in "Swiss Mountain Climbs," was the adventure which befell an amateur and his young guide In passing along the dangerous final cornice it suddenly gave way under the amateur, and he went flying through space to apparent destruction The guide at the other end of the rope seemed in hopeless plight, but with astounding presence of mind he flung himself down the opposite side of the ridge, thus saving two lives The rope cut deep into the snow above, but held firm The young guide's name was Ulrich Almer His reward was a cow.

A Horticultural Puzzle.

"It's no use," sighs the nature wizard "I may as well give up."

"What is bothering you?" we ask sympathetically

"I got started a few years ago on a whim of mine I took a head of cabbage and crossed it with a white potato and grew eyes on it; then I crossed that with a cornstalk and grew ears on it; then I crossed that with a squash and grew a nose on it, then I crossed that with a cocoanut and grew hair on it, but hanged if I can figure out what to do for a nose and mouth!"—St Louis Republic.

The Kangaroo Rat.

One of the queerest little animals of the antipodean wilds of the paradoxical continent of Australia is a little zoological wildcat which the naturalists have called the kangaroo rat It averages no larger than the common rodent of the Northern country but is a miniature kangaroo in every respect Its mode of locomotion is precisely the same as that of the enormous gigantic Besides this the female carries its young in a pouch with which nature has provided for that purpose and in many other respects imitates the habits and characteristics of its gigantic relative.

Well, He Might Kick Himself

Kenneth Kerr just back from India, meets a lady he knows quite well in Regent street He cannot recollect her name. She stops and greets him cordially, saying: "How nice to see you again! Do come and see me at my club—the Ladies' Lyceum—and give me all the Bombay news" Kerr says he will be delighted, but he cannot fix a day then "Just write to me at the club," says the lady "Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday will suit me" She passes on. Kerr cannot remember what her name is What ought he to do?—British Weekly.

First Flying Ambulances.

A valued servant and friend of the great Napoleon, Dominique Larrey, first established that system of "flying ambulances," which carried the wounded to the rear almost as soon as disabled. The staff numbered about 340 men with four heavy and twelve light two and four wheeled ambulances to each division Napoleon reviewed this arm of the service with the greatest interest and once exclaimed to Larrey: "Your work is one of the most important conceptions of our age. It will suffice for your reputation." For the Egyptian campaign Larrey secured the services of 800 qualified surgeons in addition to the regular force. At Alexandria General Figueres was severely wounded, and on his recovery wished to present Napoleon with a splendid Damascus saber. "Yes," said the emperor, "I accept in order to give it the surgeon in chief, by whose exertions your life has been spared." This saber, engraved with the words "Aboukir" and "Larrey," was taken from the great surgeon by the Prussians at Waterloo.—Charles Winslow Hall in National Magazine.

The Horrors of Thirst.

In the oasis of Mogara, says L. Dow Covington in the Wide World Magazine, we had a first experience of the desert traveler's most unpleasant things We were seated in front of a Bedouin chief's tent, our two baby camels enjoying their first drink of water since they had left Cairo, when, from across a sand dune, a Bedouin came staggering and tottering toward us. His eyes were bloodshot, his lips twice their natural size, while his tongue, blue and dry, hung out of his mouth Evidently he had lost himself, had wandered around for days in search of water and had stumbled upon the oasis in the very nick of time. To allow him to drink would have been his death In spite of his frantic struggles, he was held by four men, while a fifth allowed a few drops of water to trickle down his throat. It was as though he were a redhot boiler which would have to be allowed to cool off before being filled if an accident was to be avoided.

Objected to Publicity.

Old Brother Brown had been approached several times by the colored deacons of his church and asked to pay his church dues He had promised to "pay up" just as soon as he sold a calf which he owned. Several months later he sold the calf. The next Sunday morning at service the congregation sang the old familiar hymn:

The half has never been told
Of life so full and free.

Brother Brown, somewhat deaf and conscious of his failure to pay his dues, understood the words to be:

The calf has never been sold,
But when it's sold he'll pay

When the hymn was finished the old colored man, very indignant, arose and said:

"Bredren and sistahs, I has sold dat ca'f and heh's yo' ten dollahs! But I didn't ca' about de whole chu'ch singin' about it."—National Monthly.

A Costly Tuft of Feathers.

On the apex of the crown worn by the Prince of Wales on special occasions is a curious feather, or, rather, tuft of feathers, the top of which is adorned with a gold thread The value of this feather is estimated at $50,000, and it has the distinction of being the only one of its kind in human possession. Twenty years passed after the first hunter set out to procure the feather before it was attained, and during that period more than a dozen hunters had lost their lives in the quest. The costly tuft is of periwak feathers, and the extraordinary danger incurred in procuring it was due to the fact that the periwak, for some unknown reason, is to be found only in dense jungles in which tigers make their lair.—Chicago Tribune.

Turning the Turtle

Turtle hunting is not without excitement. The method of capture consists of the simple act of turning the turtle on its back. Once in this position it is quite helpless. Its only defense is to cover its captor with sand thrown up by the powerful front legs or flippers. These are brought into action in an instant, and woe betide the captor who has his eyes and mouth open at the moment, for the sand is hurled with great force. When turned over the captive is dragged up the beach to above high water mark, and this is no easy task, for it weighs about four hundredweight.

Premeditated.

"And why do you claim that it was with malice aforethought that the automobile defendant ran down the complainant?"

"On the morning it happened, your honor, I heard him say that he was going to take out his new auto and see if he could not run across a few people he knew."—Houston Post.

A Giddy Girl.

"Is your daughter of a practical turn of mind?"

"No; she is very frivolous. Wants to take cooking lessons instead of perfecting her game of bridge."—Exchange.

His Honest Face.

"Anyway, he has an honest face."

"Honest? You surprise me."

"Yes, it's the only honest thing about him. It shows how dishonest he really is."—Life.

Not Misplaced.

Backer—You got trimmed bad. I thought you said you were confident of the result. Pugilist—I was. I knew I'd get licked!—Puck.

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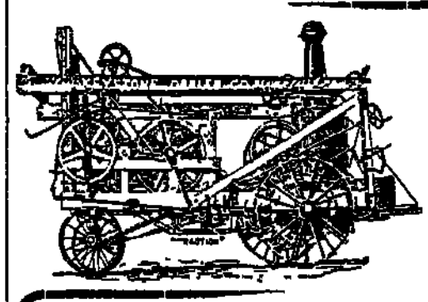

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Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11. Subject "Likeness to God." Evening prayer and confirmation address at 7:30. All are cordially invited. The Rt. Rev Bishop of diocese, Courtland Whitehead, S T. D, will visit St. Mary's church Wednesday evening June 21 at 8 to admister the holy rite of confirmation. There will befull evening service and address by the bishop This is the second visitation of the bishop this year to St. Mary's church. Rev. Lucius W Shey, Rector.

Baptist.

Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 o'clock and 7.45 by Rev. M. B Sloan. Everybody welcome

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching service at 11 Junior Endeavor at 2.15. Senior Endeavor at 6:45. At the evening service a special sermon will preach to the members of the Charleroi Fire Department. All are cordially invited. Rev. J. T. Hacket, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Sunday services. Sunday school at 10. Public worship and Children's day exercises at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:45. Topic: "The Development and Best Use of Spiritual Gifts" Leader, Rev. F. A. Richards. Public worship and sermon at 7:45. Subject. "The Greatest Detective in the World" Everybody invited. F. A. Richards, pastor.

Washington Avenue.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Junior Endeavor at 6:30. Special musical program given by the Monessen Choral Union, directed by Prof. R. W. Davis. Preaching at 8:00. The music for this service will also be furnished by the Monessen will preach both morning and evening. Everbody welcome.

Firemen Practice.

Under the direction of Chief J M Fleming. members of the fire department were out for practice last night and made runs to Sixth street and to Third street. Hose couplings were made, the entire work being done in excellent time. A number of new men were being trained. A run was made to Third street and hose connections made in one minute and forty five seconds. Soon after the practice drill, the men were called out for a real fire

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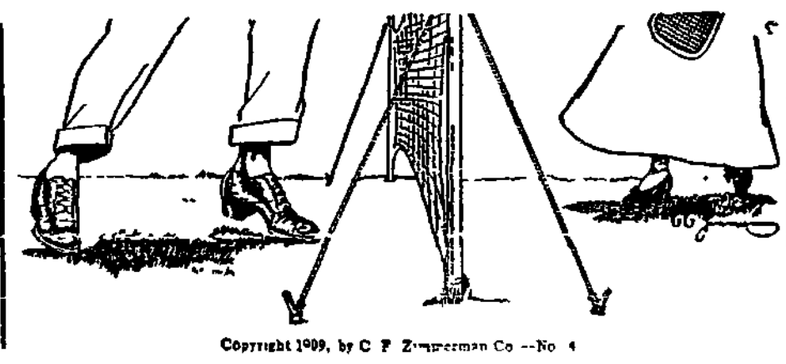

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GOOD GAME AFTER FIRST

Pardoning for the sake of argument the awfulness of the first inning there was some ball game down at the ball lot last night, when the Lutherans whipped the Christians by the score of 5 to 1 The game was packed, nailed and roped in in the first inning by the Lutherans and with only three hits to their credit at that.

Katsy Kiefer, late from Ohio started in to twirl for the Christins but apparently made the mistake of not getting his arm sufficiently unlimbered. Consequently he let too much happen all at once.

Wertz, first up nailed the ball to the value of three bases then after he had rested on third a moment discovered that Jolliffe was standing on second with the pellet in his hand, and the umpire was mildly waving dearest Winnie to the box seat. she having forgotten to touch second. Sharkey was presented with first base Joe Mason soaked the ball but Heffran didn't grab it sufficiently with his gloved grabber when it sailed his way and Joe was safe C Mason was walked Motts followed Charles Mason's example and a run was forced To relieve the suspense as well as to put the game in the refrigerator Patton tapped the spheriod for three full bases, bringing in the whole outfit Jolliffe relieved Kiefer in the box for the time being and Demarco caught one pretty and sending it to center for three. Patton scored.

It was one big row of ciphers after another for the Christians until the fifth inning Vernom - first to the plate then troubled the ball for two sacks. Kiefer was out at first Buchanan fied out, and Mathers was safe on an error, during which event Vernom trotted across the plate That completed tallying of the Christians. Score:

Lutherans	R	H	P	A	E
Wertz, 1	0	2	1	1	0
Sharkey, m	1	0	2	0	1
H. Mason, s	1	0	2	3	0
C. Mason, 1	1	0	9	0	0
Motts, 3	1	0	0	0	0
Patton, r	1	2	2	0	1
Cupp, 2	0	0	1	4	0
Demarco, c	0	1	3	0	0
Miller, p	0	1	1	1	0
Total	5	6	21	9	2

Christians	R	H	P	A	E
Heffran, r	0	0	0	0	1
Buchanan, r	0	0	0	0	0
Mathers, 2	0	1	2	3	0
Jolliffe, s-p	0	1	3	1	1
Miller, 1	0	1	0	0	0
Dunmire, 1	0	0	5	0	0
Kearns, c	0	0	5	3	0
Furnier, 3	0	0	1	1	0
Vernom, m	1	2	1	0	0
Kiefer, p-s	0	1	1	0	0
Total	1	6	18	8	2

Lutherans .....5 0 0 0 0 0 *—5
Christians .... .0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1

Three base hits—Patton, Demarco Two base hits—Vernom 2. Kiefer Stolen bases—Sharkey, C.Mason, Patton, Mathers. Sacrifice hits—Patton Struck out—By Kiefer 4, by Jolloiffe 1, by Miller 1. Bases on balls—Off Miller 1, off Kiefer 5. Passed balls—Kearnes 2. Wild pitch—Kiefer Hit by pitcher—Dunmire Umpires—Daniel and Byland.

Charleroi Church League

Yesterday's Results

Lutherans, 5 Christians, 1

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct
Episcopals	5	1	833
Lutherans	4	1	800
Catholics	4	3	571
First Pres.	3	3	500
Baptists	3	3	500
Christians	2	4	334
W. A. Pres	2	4	334
Methodists	1	5	167

Games Next Week

Monday
Catholics vs Methodists

Tuesday
Baptists vs First Pres

Wednesday
W. A. Pres. vs Lutherans

Thursday
W. A Pres. vs Lutherans

Friday
Episcopals vs. Christians

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Among the visitors at the office of the Quaker Doctor yesterday was the gentleman mentioned above, a person known by everyone here as the owner of the tonsorial parlor at Seventh and Lincoln avenue having bought a package of the Quaker Doctor's herbs, he called at the office to see if the Quaker Doctor could diagnose his trouble The Quaker upon making an examination told Mr. Storm his whole trouble was without a doubt a tape worm and his herbs would get it without any trouble Mr Storm upon going home took the dose and in less than five hours passed the monster, and at once sent it down to the Quaker Doctor's office. Last night at the lecture as yard after yard of this enormous parasite was taken from the jar, there were many ejaculations of wonder and surprise

Sixty feet of squirming, misery making tissue, this had been the cause of all the trouble In an interview Mr Storm said his symptoms were sleepless nights, pains over the abdomen, some days no appetite at all and at other times an enormous one; food seemed to do little good; he was weak, vitality low, and irregular bowels. Perhaps the most remarkable part of this work of removing these worms from grown people and children which the Quaker Herbs do so quickly, is the fact that there is no previous starvation or taking of powerful carthartics that rack and ruin the system These Herbs act as a light laxative.

The Quaker Doctor says he will put this monster on exhibition at the show and lecture again tonight and he wants every one to know that Monday night will be the last chance to get the herbs directly from the Quaker company as Monday is the last night of the shows. the feature of which is the ladies' wood sawing match for $2.00 cash; though the company leaves here Tuesday the Quaker Doctor will retain his office on McKean avenue opposite Hotel Arthur, and can be seen there daily for consultation and advice

DAMAGE IS DONE BY CONFLAGRATION

The four room dwelling of T W. Golden near Second street above Prospect avenue, was domaged to some extent by fire Friday night The fire started in a clothes closet, and had a good start before it was discovered None of the Golden' family was at home. Firemen were called out and soon after their arrival had the flames under control The building was partially insured. The main damage was to the weather boarding

LOCAL MENTION

A C. McKean and J D Wilson are Pittsburg visitors today.

Miss Lottie Michener went to Munhall today for a visit with friends.

Harvey VanVoorhis, of Morgantown W Va., was a visitor in Charleroi with Fred Cooper yesterday coming to attend the funeral of John Shanton

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